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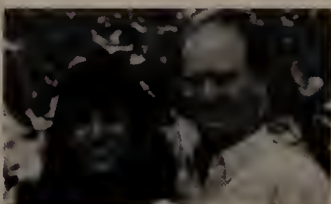
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Vaad Report

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*"So long as still within our breasts
The Jewish heart beats true,
So long as still towards the East,
To Zion, looks the Jew,
So long our hopes are not yet lost —
Two thousand years we cherished them —
To live in freedom in the Land
Of Zion and Jerusalem."*

— HaTikvah — The Hope

COMMENT

***The Abandonment of Zion —** "HaTikvah", the National Anthem of the State of Israel, is always inspiring. The words of HaTikvah have a timeless relevance, a meaning for Jews everywhere, reinforced by both good and bad experiences — reinforced by wars and peace treaties alike, by both anti-Semitic acts and aliyah.

We fear that the Jewish heart today is not beating true; that we, the Jewish people, are losing our hopes; that we are abandoning Zion.

As a result of the Palestinian uprising, Israel faces her greatest danger since 1948. Israel's very existence is at stake. Her enemies continue to refuse to recognize Israel's right to exist.

Without Israel, even without a strong Israel, our lives as Jews are worthless — our Jewish survival is threatened.

And yet, financial support for Israel is declining. Contributions to the U.J.A., and hence to Israel, are shrinking. Where you put your money is a telling indicator of where you stand. If you stand by Israel, support her financially — now.

Concerned Jews are also perturbed by the very visible lack of Jewish tourists in Israel and the impact of this phenomenon both on the economy as well as on the morale of the Israelis. Enormous numbers of Jews have either cancelled their trips to Israel or have decided that Israel is not an option.

Knowing that Israel is perfectly safe, armed with the necessary moral fiber not to succumb to any possible danger, and demonstrating their support for our homeland, more than fifty Jewish teenagers from Ottawa, through various youth programs, and twelve Young Leaders from Ottawa, through the Yachdav Program, have travelled to and spent part of their summer in Israel. They are not frightened to visit Israel.

But, where are the committed Jewish adults of Ottawa? It's bad enough that Israel feels abandoned by the International Community. Does she also have to feel abandoned by Jews?

In addition, Zionism continues to be trivialized and distorted by the International Community. Israel has not been presented for what it is — the revitalization of Jewish life through the achievement of sovereignty and the ability to exercise power.

The rising to sing HaTikvah is a statement of faith in Israel as an expression of Jewish sovereignty, power and survival.

So, my friends, rise and sing HaTikvah. Demonstrate your support for Israel, in a meaningful way, during these difficult days, by substantially increasing your pledge to the U.J.A. and by visiting Israel, either as members of a Mission or as private tourists.

Stand by Israel — do not abandon her now.

***Anti-Semitism** takes many forms in the world today, including revisionism, neo-Nazism and anti-Zionism.

Since the beginning of May, the Vaad has monitored several anti-Semitic acts, including the desecration of two synagogues. These acts, while serious, are not cause for alarm. These incidents have been reported to and discussed with the

appropriate police forces, and they are presently under investigation by these police forces.

The July 23rd, 1988 edition of the Ottawa Citizen exposed an anti-Semitic group known as the "Society for Free Expression". The Citizen referred to this group as "pathetic people" with "evil" and "wicked superstitions".

It is no surprise to the Vaad that these anti-Semites live among us. These people have been known to the Vaad and to the police for several years and are constantly monitored by the appropriate police forces.

The Vaad encountered this group at the Ottawa Board of Education's public hearings when the OBE introduced Holocaust Studies into the curriculum of the high schools. These Holocaust-deniers aligned themselves with the Palestinians and, through anti-Semitic statements and actions, actively opposed the teaching of the Holocaust.

You will recall that we spoke before in this column of an organized, well-financed, anti-Semitic, anti-Israel, anti-Jewish onslaught which challenges our Jewish survival, and of the concerted attempt by Holocaust deniers, Nazi and fascist elements and Palestinian Canadians to trivialize and vulgarize the Holocaust.

The Vaad has been deeply involved in dealing with these issues through both monitoring and direct action, where appropriate, and provides ongoing consultations with Community institutions on matters of security. The Vaad maintains good contacts with the various police forces nationally and regionally and these police forces closely co-operate with the Vaad on matters of security.

The Vaad will continue to do its job, but at this time it is very important that concerned members of the Community also be willing to act. At the very least, this means informing the police or the Vaad offices when you become aware of an incident of anti-Semitism.

ACHSHAV

***Itzhak Perlman Gala —** October 15, 1988 will be a very special date on our Community's calendar. On that evening world renowned violinist Itzhak Perlman will perform in concert with the National Arts Centre Orchestra. This very special event will mark the culmination of Canada's celebrations of the State of Israel's 40th Anniversary. Made possible by the generous support of Minto Construction and in conjunction with the Jewish Community Council of Ottawa, this Gala Evening will not only celebrate Israel's Anniversary but will help support the NAC orchestra to perform at the Jerusalem Festival in 1990 — a first ever performance by a Canadian orchestra in Israel.

Response to this exciting evening has been widespread in both the Jewish and non-Jewish Communities. If you haven't already purchased tickets to the Itzhak Perlman Gala I refer you to the invitation and order form appearing elsewhere in this issue of the Bulletin. This is your opportunity to tangibly demonstrate your support for the State of Israel and Canada - Israel friendship while enjoying an evening of magical music. Rise and proudly sing HaTikvah on October 15 at the N.A.C.

Vibrant Israeli troupe

UJA presents evening to light up your life

The United Jewish Appeal of Ottawa will present Orot Hashchuna on Monday, August 29 at 7:30 p.m. in the Auditorium of the Jewish Community Centre.

This young and talented group of "Neighbourhood Lights" from various Project Renewal areas throughout Israel will light up your life with an evening of song and dance.

Orot Hashchuna was formed two years ago when the Jewish Agency decided that the emerging new spirit in Renewal areas could best be demonstrated to Diaspora Jewish communities through young people — young people who have proven their commitment and involvement by their active participation in existing neighbourhood performing groups.

Orot Hashchuna conveys the picture of the changing neighbourhood and the growing sense of pride in both the community and the individual.

The dynamic troupe brings the best and the brightest young performers ages 16 to 23 — soldiers and students. In their own neighbourhoods they volunteer their time in hospitals, community centres and clubs for the handicapped.

Orot Hashchuna will demonstrate to Ottawa in a concrete, visible way how money raised here for our Project Renewal towns can help turn dispirited cynical youth into motivated and optimistic young adults.

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Wednesday, September 7, 1988 at 6:30 p.m.
Assembly Hall, 151 Chapel St.

The entire Jewish community is invited to attend the Annual General Meeting of the Jewish Community Centre, which will be held on September 7, 1988 in the Assembly Hall of the Jewish Community Centre. The purpose of this meeting is to elect Directors and to transact such other business as shall properly come before the meeting.

In accordance with the constitution, a Nominating Committee has proposed the following persons for the Board of Directors for the 1988-89 year: Alf Chaitin, Harold Cohen, Jack Gold, Nap Kapinsky, Roslyn Kimmel, Stan Labow, Harry Prizant, Evelyn Rivers, I.B. Rose, Joel Weiner. Returning Board Members are: Ricky Baker, Harley Bloom, Ian Borer, Jenny Citron, Judith Cohen, Naomi Cracower, Shelly Ehrenworth, Rabbi A. Fine, Lawrence Greenspon, Len Heitin, Ben Karp, Stan Katz, Carol Kassie, Ralph Kassie, Stanley Levine, Marilyn Litwack, Solly Patronatsch, Jeff Plect, Ron Prehogan, Mark Resnick, Mort Ross.

The Past Presidents of the organization, Bernard M. Alexander, Q.C., Hyman Soloway, Q.C., Dr. Nathan Schechter, Irving Rivers, Stephen Victor, Q.C., Dr. Saul Ross, Norman Slover, A.J. Freiman and William Shenkman are automatically members of the Board.

Additional nominations for Directors may be made by any member of the Jewish community up to three days prior to the date fixed for the Annual Meeting by mailing same to the Secretary, Jewish Community Centre, 151 Chapel St., K1N 7Y2. All nominations must be in writing and signed by the nominees.

The By-Laws further provide that the Directors at their first meeting following the Annual Meeting, shall elect a President, two Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, an Honorary Secretary, and such officers as they may deem advisable.

Light refreshments will be provided following the elections.

Attitudes are polarizing

Unrest will affect elections profoundly: author

By Yitzhak Rabi
NEW YORK (JTA) A noted Israeli author and journalist claims that the continued Palestinian unrest in the West Bank and Gaza will have a profound effect on the outcome of the general elections in Israel in November.

"Look," said award-winning journalist Uri Dan, "the out-of-control behaviour of the Arabs, not only in the territories but also in the heart of Tel Aviv, is hardening and polarizing the attitudes of the Israelis."

"The Jews are not willing to commit suicide. They feel once again the threat to the very existence of the Jewish state as they felt it in 1948 when Israel was established."

The comparison between Israel's situation today and Israel's situation in 1948 was hardly coincidental with Dan, since his newly published book, *To The Promised Land* (Doubleday, \$24.95), is devoted to the birth of Israel and to the struggle that led to the establishment of the state.

Everybody defames

Dan, the author of over a dozen books that have been published internationally, including *Ninety Minutes to Entebbe* and *Blood Libel* (on Ariel Sharon's suit against *Time* magazine), said that his new book appears at a time "when almost everybody defames Israel" as a result of the continued violence in the territories and Israel's reaction to it.

"Many Jews and non-Jews alike have forgotten the facts and historical details that brought about the establishment of Israel," Dan said. "They find themselves helpless in the face of the attacks in the media and elsewhere on Israel. The book recalls in words and pictures the basic facts of our struggle for independence against tremendous odds."

Willing to compromise

According to Dan, the riots in the West Bank and Gaza are the continuation of the struggle for Israel's independence and a proof that "the Jews were always willing to compromise and have the minimum (of land) in exchange for peace. But the Arabs have always rejected any compromise and coexistence with Israel."

Dan said that whoever wins the elections in Israel will have to face the fact that the Arabs are not willing to make peace with Israel, because following the disturbances they view Israel as a weak nation.

"The Arab will make peace only with a strong Israel, as was the case with the late Egyptian President Anwar Sadat. I am afraid that their perception of Israel as weak might cause them to test Israel once again on the battle field."

Dan is known for his close association with Gen. (res.) Ariel Sharon, currently Israel's minister of trade and commerce, and the political views of the two are identical. In fact, in 1982, Dan was the media advisor to then-Defense Minis-

ter Sharon, and accompanied him throughout the war in Lebanon.

"I believe in Sharon in an extraordinary way," Dan said frankly when asked to describe his relationship with the controversial Israeli leader.

"I met Arik in 1954 when I was an army correspondent and a paratrooper, and since then I was side-by-side with him in all the wars and many battles."

"I saw him act and lead the army forces that crossed the Suez Canal during the Yom Kippur War in 1973, his power and calmness in handling the situation under heavy fire."

"The soldiers that fought with him nicknamed him 'Arik, King of Israel,' and not without a reason. Sharon one day is going to be the leader of his party, the Likud, and then Israel's premier," Dan predicted.

Historical perspective

Currently the Mideast correspondent for the New York Post after more than 20 years as senior correspondent for Israel's mass-circulation *Maariv*, Dan said that his new book gives an "historical perspective to the extraordinary event of Israel's birth in 1948."

Dan was 13 at the time, and he recalls in the beginning of his book the day Israel gained statehood.

"Most Israelis remember Saturday, May 15, 1948, as the first free day of the reborn Jewish state in Eretz Yisrael,"

he writes.

"I remember it as the day the Egyptian Air Force bombed my bar mitzvah. That is my vivid memory of the first day of the reborn Jewish state, the first hours of its War of Independence."

"As we left the synagogue," he continues, "the wail of air raid sirens was heard in Tel Aviv."

"The tables at our house were laden with all sorts of

fruit, cakes and drinks, but most of the guests never arrived. My parents tried to comfort me. But I remember telling them, 'There's nothing to be sorry about. I received a fantastic present: the State.'"

To *The Promised Land*, which was first published in France, includes more than 200 photographs, many of them previously unpublished. It is well worth reading, and enjoying.

Aug. '89 fur sale to benefit Hillel Lodge

The Women's Auxiliary of Hillel Lodge is pleased to announce that Millie Weinstein will chair its Second Fur Sale scheduled to take place in August, 1989.

The organization is seeking to acquire 'gently used' fur coats, hats, muffs, stoles, boas, etc. to aid the fundraiser. Donated items will be kept in storage at Pat Flesher Furs, 437 Cooper St.

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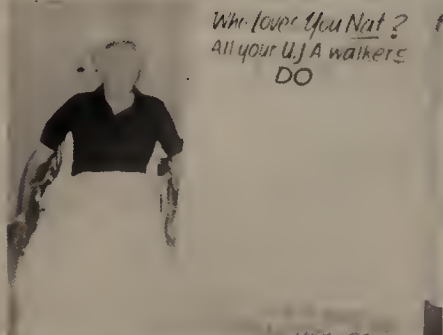


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American Jewry should be visiting Israel

Would Harlem disturbances keep you out of N.Y.C.?

By Vic Gelb
"Why aren't American Jews coming to Israel?"... "Why are the German goyim coming to Israel?"... "We shouldn't have to beg American Jews to come."

Looking Back

A History of
the Ottawa Jewish Community
1857-1987

By Herman Roodman



1971 In the Spring of 1971, inspired by the creation of the David and Rachel Epstein Foundation and the Jacob Freedman Foundation, the Jewish Community Council of Ottawa established a Community Endowment and Bequest Foundation, to serve as a vehicle for anyone wishing to endow charitable activities in perpetuity.

The principal movers for this concept were the late Gilbert Greenberg and Bernard Shinder. Formal Letters Patent were issued on November 19, 1971.

The first Endowment Fund was created by the late Michael Freedman who made a lifetime gift of \$100,000 on the occasion of his 80th birthday.

The late Gilbert Greenberg served as the Foundation's President from 1971 to 1977.

1972 Rabbi Donald Gerber assumed the duties of Spiritual Leader of Temple Israel where he remained until his departure from Ottawa in 1981. The Congregation's first Spiritual Leader was Rabbi David Powell, who came to Ottawa in 1967.

On October 12, 1972, unfortunately, fire destroyed the Temple site at 54 James Street, in Ottawa's Glebe area. Previously the building was occupied for some forty years by B'nai Jacob Congregation from 1931 to 1971.

1973 An unassuming, kindly but learned gentleman, Cantor Nathan Borenstein officiated at Machzikei Hadas services with dignity and devotion until 1973, when the Synagogue moved its location to Virginia Drive in Alta Vista.

Throughout his tenure of 36 years in our midst, Rev. Borenstein fulfilled the additional communal role of Shochet and Mohel. With his passing in 1981, our Community lost a faithful Shaliyah Tzibur and religious functionary.

1973 The name of Jacob Gordon deserves a special citation in the annals of our Community, because he has served his people with distinction for more than 50 years. Endowed with unique qualities of heart and mind, Mr. Gordon has earned the admiration of numerous Ottawa families throughout his fruitful career as a competent teacher and sincere friend.

On November 18, 1973 members of our Community expressed their tribute to Jacob Gordon at the annual Negev Dinner for his exemplary devotion to the welfare of the Community and the upbuilding of the State of Israel. We wish Mr. Gordon and his loved ones long life and good health.

His devoted wife, the late Mrs. Sarah Gordon, of blessed memory, was the personification of Jewish motherhood and of the *Ayeshet Chayil* — "A Woman of Worth, Who Can Find? For Her Price Is Far Above Rubies."

1973 On his retirement as Governor of the Bank of Canada, our Community honoured Mr. Louis Rasminsky at a Testimonial Dinner on February 11, 1973. Through the years, many universities in Canada and the United States have conferred upon Mr. Rasminsky Honorary Doctoral Degrees in recognition of a lifetime of leadership in Canada and abroad, in the fields of international affairs and central banking.

1973 Machzikei Hadas Congregation moved to a beautiful, new building in Alta Vista at 2310 Virginia Drive.

The Dedication Service was conducted in June of 1974.

1973 A proud milestone in Canadian Jewish history was marked when Bora Laskin was appointed Chief Justice of Canada on December 27, 1973.

The Jewish Community Council of Ottawa presented the Encyclopaedia Judaica to the Right Honourable Bora Laskin as a mark of esteem on his appointment as Chief Justice of Canada. He held this high office until his death at the age of 72 in 1984.

ing?"... "We shouldn't have to beg American Jews to come." Those were some of the many questions and concerns expressed to me in Israel recently by Israelis from all walks of life — and from every part of the political spectrum.

They were also the first words spoken by Israeli Defense Minister Yitzhak Rabin when we met with him in his office on May 26. "Why" he asked "would the entire group of 250 Jews from Miami cancel plans to visit?" Rabin understands there are American Jews who disagree with current Israeli policies, but asks, "Why don't they come to Israel and express those concerns?"

I have just returned from spending 30 hours in Israel. It was my shortest but one of my most interesting visits in the last 20 years. My visit was as a member of a special task force of 24 under the leadership of Benet Aaron of Philadelphia.

The task force was put together in response to Israelis' concern about the sharp drop in tourism. Although U.J.A. missions, which brought more than 5,000 people to Israel last year, are experiencing no meaningful fall-off, other organizations are.

Enjoying Teddy Kollek

Our first evening in Jerusalem was spent with Teddy Kollek and more than 20 business, government and professional leaders. The indefatigable Teddy, who has been mayor of Jerusalem since 1965, has lost none of his candor or wit. In the moments before I had the pleasure of introducing him to our group, I asked him just how safe one was in Jerusalem. "Safer than you are sitting on this couch," he said. There are problems, but nothing to warrant concern for safety by visitors, he assured me. (Indeed, we saw many tour buses and tourists in Israel, but all were European — with the exception of American evangelical groups).

Justice in courtroom

Good friends, Jonathan and Miriam Livny were my dinner partners that evening. Jonathan is currently on reserve duty serving as a judge in a special court in the West Bank. He is trying Arabs accused of throwing rocks and Molotov

cocktails.

Before meeting with us for dinner, he had spent 12 hours in his courtroom trying 70 cases. In every instance, the Arab was provided counsel if he did not have one...and in every case, said Livny, the defendant was told to take as much time as required to present his story. Great care is taken to preserve justice. Of 1,800 cases that their court has heard during the past few months, Jonathan pointed out, only 90 have been appealed.

War inevitable

The next day we flew up north to visit the Golan Heights and the Galilee. Even the presence of a group as small as ours had meaning to the proud people of Yesod Hama'ala. The Israel Defense Forces and the Southern Lebanon forces had attacked a PLO village that day. We heard the gunfire and, shortly after, visited the northern army command, and listened to Brigadier General Meir Dagaa explain the military situation in the north. In his view, an Israeli war with Syria is "inevitable."

Another general who is very much in the news is Major General Amra Mitzna, commander of the central command which includes the West Bank and Gaza. The 43-year-old commander exudes strength and determination. "The uprisings are in some respects like a war"...but "we can't solve the problems with force," he says. He is proud of the men and women under his command and has been diligent in punishing those who have not adhered to appropriate conduct. The pressure under which young soldiers carry out their duties while dodging rocks, Molotov cocktails and bitter invective has caused problems, he admits, but far fewer propor-

tionately than one sees and hears in the media.

"Both sides have learned lessons," says Mitzna, adding, "Of all the men and women who serve in the reserve, only seven have refused to serve in the territories. Most, if asked, would prefer (a tour of duty in) Lebanon to the West Bank and Gaza, but they understand their duty and the problem." Mitzna notes, "We have succeeded in containing the massive violence and the people are no longer listening to the PLO. We are trying to bring back normalcy to the area and are ready to pull off most of the sanctions."

A good friend of Jews in Cleveland, and one of Israel's most dynamic and outspoken leaders is Tel Aviv Mayor Shlomo Lahat. In a give and take discussion, "Cheech," as he is known, expressed great concern and disappointment over the fact that many American Jews have cancelled visits to Israel. He also let us know in no uncertain terms that he is prepared to return everything but Jerusalem to the Palestinians in return for peace.

Harlev's analogy

The last two hours of our 50 in Israel were spent with Raphael Harlev, president of El Al airlines. General Harlev had recently returned from a two-week trip through the U.S. His analogy: "If there were disturbances in Harlem, would you not visit New York City? Come to Israel and come now!"

Before I left Israel I had a drink with my good friend and former Cleveland, artist Yacov Heller. He thought I was crazy for making such a short visit, but when he hugged and kissed me goodbye, he said, "Thank you for coming!" That, my friends, said it all.

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Book Review



Twilight

By Elie Wiesel

General Publishing, 217 pages, \$26.95 (cloth)

Winner of the 1986 Nobel Peace Prize, prolific essayist and novelist Elie Wiesel, grapples with the same questions that have obsessed him since the publication of his highly autobiographical first novel, *Night*, a fictional account of his own survival of the jaws of death in the Nazi death camp of Auschwitz.

Night was written about a decade after the war when Wiesel made his life's commitment to speak out through his writings for those who could no longer speak. He wrote and is still writing out of a deep sense of pain and prevailing darkness due to his personal loss and the murder of six million European Jews.

The only light out of this profound darkness, is the light of the memory of those who perished, preverely, the light of their deaths.

Twilight is a much more subtle and philosophical probing of the same theme as *Night*.

Wiesel is still looking for answers which he knows he can never find, at least not answers with which he knows he will be satisfied.

Raphael, his protagonist, is a thinly disguised alter ego, a professor specializing in Jewish mysticism.

To tell of his own odyssey from a small town in Poland that was liquidated of its Jews by the Nazis, he begins with a contemporary search for two

people whom he feels are responsible for his survival: an old, nameless man whose martyrdom continually saves Jews from their deaths and a young man who worked for an organization called Briha, rounding up Jewish refugees after the war.

Pedro brought Raphael to France, after telling him that he was his family's sole survivor. Discovering that his brother, Joel, might still be alive in a Russian prison, Pedro mysteriously slips out of Raphael's life. The novel is a search for the old man and Pedro.

He appears to find both during a rather bizarre sojourn in a mountain clinic in upstate New York that specializes in treating psychiatric patients who have biblical delusions.

The stories of these madmen, clinging to the reality of the Bible, including one who thinks he is the Messiah, becomes a metaphor for Raphael's search, not only for the nameless old man and Pedro, but for peace from the horrors Raphael witnessed during the Second World War.

Raphael tries to explain to the madman who claims he is the Messiah: "Our sources put greater emphasis on messianic times than on the Messiah's personality. For us, the wait is more important than the wish to be the Messiah."

The madman replies: "Incredible how little ambition you

Jews have."

"But, Raphael concludes with intense Talmudic dialectic, 'Why is it not as ambitious to bring the Messiah as to become the Messiah?'"

Elie Wiesel's Raphael yearns for man to clean up his act. The madness or silence of man created in God's image fills him with fear and sadness, yet it is the one answer he continually finds.



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Marlene Cherun and the Gesher family prepare for camp.

Some thoughts on the movement

By Marlene E. Cherun

Dror-Habonim. Two words. Yet these two words have had an increasingly strong impact on me and my family over the nine years since I first heard them. In varying degrees, my husband Myron and I and our three sons, Michael, Jeffrey and Ari, have incorporated Dror-Habonim into our lives. Although some of my reflections on the Movement are quite personal, I welcome the chance to share them with you.

Dror-Habonim offers its members an unshakable, unequalled sense of community. At Camp Gesher, the Movement's principles and ideals come to life for six out of the ordinary weeks. Run like a kibbutz, Gesher is a model of equality and chevrá. The smallest and newest Dror-Habonim is appreciated as much as the most sophisticated staff member and is made to feel so. Among my warmest memories are those of the camaraderie, respect and shared accomplishment among those working together, whether assembling sandwiches for lunch, painting a cabin or dancing to Israeli music. There is a pervasive sense of joint achievement, mutual pride and shared esteem which can only promote fulfillment among the individuals involved.

There is a degree of acceptance and affection in the Dror-Habonim/Gesher community which I have not seen equalled. Individuality is celebrated rather than suspected. Unusual characters abound, adding spirit and humour, encouraging self-expression, laughter and the development of one's potential for uniqueness.

This wonderful sense of community does not end with Dror-Habonim members. The Cheruns big and small have basked in its glow at Family Work Weekends at Camp Gesher. We work with and come to know our children's madrichim, the Movement shlichim and the families of other campers. We are brought close by the commitment we share to making the Dror-Habonim environment one in which our children can flourish, emotionally as well as physically. Dirty, exhausted, reeking of Eau de Deep Woods Off, covered by paint and smiles, surrounded by new and old friends, I am profoundly moved by the community feeling that my sons take for granted at Camp Gesher.

Dror-Habonim speaks to me, too, at leadership, for it strives to develop each member into an imaginative, creative, responsible Jew. Our eldest, Mahoney in his Dror-Habonim persona, has grown up in that tradition. My gratitude to Dror-Habonim is immense, for Mahoney has become a young man who volunteers, who says "yes", who dares to take responsibility. He does so, at least in part, because of his respect for those who have shown him how, his madrichim.

They have been role models in the best sense. These are young men and women who know who they are. They are aware, introspective, questioning. They are committed to the development of a positive sense of Jewish identity in their charges and to a strong personal connection to the State of Israel. They are fun, they are clever and they care about issues larger than themselves — and unlike many parents, they do not preach. They live their idealism; they make it relevant to the lives of the members. They challenge our children to think, to relate and to be more than they are. They are the best that Dror-Habonim offers.

I honestly believe that they are our future, as long as we choose the Diaspora. I will always treasure their efforts on our behalf.

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U.S. and Canada are seeing a resurgence of Hebrew Free Loan

By Haviva Krasner
NEW YORK (JTA) Interest-free loans. It sounds too good to be true. But for American and Canadian Jews the idea is a reality and a relief, and has been for over a century.

It started in Pittsburgh in 1887, when the first American Hebrew Free Loan Association was founded on the Biblical precept that says Jews should not exact interest from their needy (Exodus 22:24).

Since then, 75 more Jewish free loan entities have sprung up in the United States and Canada bringing the number to its all-time high — higher even than the Depression level of 53 associations.

Refurbishing or building

"We are seeing a resurgence now of the Hebrew Free Loan," said Julius Blackman, executive director of the Loan Association in San Francisco and president of the Association of Hebrew Free Loans.

"More and more cities are beginning to refurbish their free loan entities or build one where there never was one before," Blackman said.

The idea of the Hebrew Free Loan has become so popular that an Association of Hebrew Free Loans was formed seven years ago so members could gather once a year to discuss pertinent issues. Of the 76 free loan entities now in the U.S. and Canada, 25 are members of the association.

This year's convention was held last month at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Chicago. The agenda ranged from "Computerization of the Free Loan" to a joint session with free loan agency representatives and members of the National Association of Jewish Family Service Workers.

Jewish interest-free loan programs, called "chevras,"

started as outgrowths of the synagogue. In the 19th century, the chevras broke away from the synagogues and evolved into community-wide organizations.

The beneficiaries of the early American Free Loan Associations were immigrants, according to Blackman, and as the wave of immigration dwindled beginning in the 1940s, so did the need for, and awareness of, the free loan movement.

Times change. Now, said Blackman, "there has been a gradual realization that these resources apply to and are available for people who just aren't eligible for a bank loan. Our loans are not just for the poor and needy."

Many association loans are awarded to families with an income of over \$30,000. "They may have enough to get by," said Blackman, "but they can't afford something like college."

"It's not a handout and recipients don't feel like they're objects of charity"

Over the past six to seven years, there has been a large increase in the number of student loans granted by the associations. Government loan programs have been cut across the board, but students have been hit the hardest, said Blackman.

For example, the association of San Francisco, of which Blackman is the executive director, sent Michel Elkaim, a Moroccan Jew, to beauty school.

When he discovered that his real talent lay in cooking, they loaned him \$3,000 to open a

restaurant.

Loans to entrepreneurs like Elkaim are not the exceptions. Blackman cited his favorite case, that of Elliot Hoffman, who was baking and selling cheesecakes from his mother's recipe out of his home.

"Everyone was praising the cheesecakes and telling him to go into business, so finally he decided to take the plunge," said Blackman.

In 1972, the San Francisco association loaned Hoffman \$3,000. He opened a bakery called "Just Desserts" and is now grossing about \$140,000 a year.

Hoffman paid back the loan in two years, and has been giving \$50 a month to the association for the past 10 years. He is also a member of the board.

The San Francisco association has \$5 million in loan capital this year, compared to the \$300,000 it had in 1963, when Blackman became executive director. The number of dues-paying members has also risen from 125 to 3,200 in those 25 years.

Blackman attributed this success to a major public relations campaign that he has undertaken, which includes advertising in Jewish periodicals and programs such as the Hebrew Free Loan Sabbath.

Some 600 synagogue congregations now mark the yearly event, begun in 1982, which takes place on shabbat parshat Mishpatim, when they read the Torah portion that instructs Jews not to exact interests from their needy.

"This is the highest form of charity there is," said Blackman of the free loan movement. "It's not a handout, and the recipients don't feel like they're objects of charity. It's a great feeling."



Ottawa Says L'Hitraot To Its Shlichim

Jewish Community Council President Stephen Victor embraces departing shlichim Shlomo and Yona Prital following the presentation of a farewell gift to the couple. The Pritals hold the etchings, two views of the Parliament Buildings by Ottawa artist John Benn.

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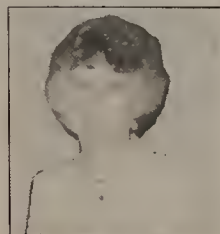
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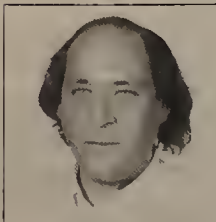
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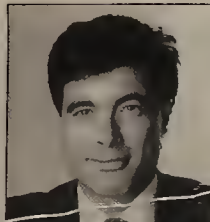
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New Program in the Works

By Brenda Jackson
Assistant Volunteer Coordinator

The Jewish Social Services Agency, in cooperation with the JCC, is investigating starting up a Senior Talent Bank in the Jewish Community. It will be run by seniors for seniors. A Senior Talent Bank draws on the life experiences of seniors and establishes a pool or bank of their talents. It helps seniors who wish to volunteer but do not know where to direct their talents. Hopefully, it also helps to draw in new people who have not volunteered before.

To help get this project started we were fortunate to have Karen Irie, the Executive Director of The Senior Talent Bank of Ontario, conduct a workshop on how to set up a Seniors Talent Bank. This meeting took place on Monday, July 11 and drew about 15 interested seniors.

Out of the enthusiasm of this meeting a second meeting has been planned to look into volunteer areas in the community today that have not yet been explored, and to form a Steering Committee which will recruit more Board Members.

We will be planning more meetings in the future. If you would like more information or would like to become involved please contact me at: 235-0000.

Dates to Remember

Tuesday, August 16: 50+ Drop-in Centre, JCC, 1:30 p.m. Speaker: Jane Field, Executive Director (Elizabeth Fry Society). Topic: "The Female Offender"

Wednesday, August 17: Bridge Club, 50+ Drop-in Centre, JCC, 12:00 noon.

Wednesday, August 17: Chess Club, 50+ Drop-in Centre, JCC, 7:00 p.m.

Monday, August 23: 50+ Drop-in Centre, JCC, Tour of the National Arts Centre, bus leaves the JCC at 12:15 SHARP.

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Three will learn how to teach the Holocaust

The Holocaust Remembrance Committee has made available three scholarships for the conference entitled "Teaching the Holocaust in the Canadian Context", given at the University of Toronto, August 24-26, 1988.

The conference is designed for teachers who desire a better understanding of how to teach the Holocaust. The program will include lectures, films, survivor accounts, a tour of the Holocaust Education and Memorial Centre of Toronto, and discussions with experienced classroom teachers.

Topics which will be discussed include: Anti-Semitism, Teaching about Prejudice, The Rise of Nazism, Holocaust Literature, Stages to the Final Solution, Obedience, Resistance, using Survivors in the Classroom, Liberation, Canadian Response to the Holocaust, Holocaust Denial in Canada Today and Internment of Japanese-Canadians.

The Holocaust Remembrance Committee invited a response from over two dozen educators in the Ottawa Carleton area, whose names were submitted as having shown some interest in teaching the

Holocaust. Replies were considered on a first come, first serve basis.

The three teachers selected to go to Toronto for the conference are: Sarah Breiner, Hillel Academy; Vincent Marquis, Redeemer Christian High School; and Thomas A. Johnstone, Ridgemont High School.

The Holocaust Remembrance Committee has every confidence that this conference will help foster a better understanding of the Holocaust and ensure a uniform method of teaching this unique subject.

The Zionist Chassid

The Bicentenary of Menachem Mendel of Vitebsk (1730-1788)

By Rabbi S.I. Aranov

The two most dynamic Jewish movements of the last two centuries have been Zionism and Chassidism. Rabbi Menachem Mendel of Vitebsk, White Russia, combined both streams of consciousness in theory and in practice, long before the arrival of Rav Kook. In 1777, he transplanted 300 Chassidim to the Holy Land, yet he maintained contact with his followers who remained in the Russian Exile.

R. Menachem Mendel was aware that religion could be misrepresented even by leaders; therefore he warned against the perversion of the Zaddik's role. The Zaddik should function as a teacher and religious guide in matters pertaining to Divine service. He ought not to be a dispenser of heavenly blessing or a mentor of practical mysticism.

speculative contemplation which is the gateway to Love. This quality of Love is promoted through loving human relationships which lead to spiritual elevation in love for God. Our consciousness in this temporal world will be as that of a traveller whose home base is in the spiritual permanence of God.

Observance of Torah

The third way to bring holiness into this existence is through the observance of Torah precepts — Mitzvot. They tie all realms together whereby we can influence the celestial spheres. However, we must perform the precepts without ulterior motives, such as for reward or for fear of punishment. R. Menachem Mendel was harsh on those heretics who maintained that

people must suffer a descent into sin before they can experience an ascent to holiness.

One 'correct Amen'

Rabbi Menachem Mendel used to say, "It is true that the air of the land of Israel makes a man wise. Before I came to this land my thoughts and desires were intent on reciting a prayer just once in the correct way. Having arrived (in the land) all I want is just once to say 'Amen' in the correct manner".

Another Chassidic sage, Rabbi Israel of Rizhyn, is reported to have said: "Rabbi Mendel's journey to the Holy Land was (for the Chassidic movement) like Father Abraham's journey. Its purpose was to plow the ground for God and Israel for generations to come".

Creation of the worlds

Following his master, Reb Doy Ber of Mehrich, he taught that creation of the worlds by Divine Will necessitated its coming into being as an act of mercy which required a contraction of the Divine emanation because of the deficiency of the created beings. Also at Sinaiic Revelation, in order for humans to comprehend God's Divine words they had to suffer a contraction. Just as for thought to be conceived and transmitted it must be reduced and contracted into letters of the alphabet.

Divinity would remain in a restricted and truncated state in this world; hence, it becomes our duty to redeem the Divine Presence in this life of material existence from exile. First, by Torah study we permeate the physical realm with spiritual resources. Secondly, through communion "Devekut" — by devoting oneself subjectively to God; completely. This is not so difficult to achieve for as we possess a spark of Divinity our soul is already rooted in the supernal world. We have an affinity with the Divine which helps to remove all obstacles to this communion. Devotional prayer enables us to cleave unto God while the process of sanctification is engendered by meditating on God's Wisdom. Thus, do we realize the state of "battul" spiritual self-denial, which is cultivated by pursuing ethical values such as humility and compassion.

The realization of our insignificance in contrast to God enables us to achieve awe of Him, this in turn leads to

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Country divided in two

The split among Israelis: it's sharper than ever

This is the last of six articles about the current conflict in Israel's occupied territories. Gerald Clark is a former editor of the Montreal Star. He has made 35 trips to Israel in the past 27 years to cover events in that country and the surrounding region.

By Gerald Clark
JERUSALEM — "Jordan is composed of 70 per cent Palestinians, so why do they need another Palestinian state?" said Yossi ben Aharon, director-general of the prime minister's office, speaking of the uprising in the Israeli-occupied West Bank and Gaza.

"That," said Galia Golan, spokesman for the Peace Now movement, "is like someone saying, 'Why do Jews want a state in Israel? They've got New York City.'"

Thus, in simple terms, the cleavage between Israelis becomes apparent. The country is split in two. Maybe it is evenly divided between those who refuse to leave the occupied territories and those who say, "Let's find a way of dealing with the situation, even if it means withdrawing from most of the West Bank."

Father wounded
The chances are the hard-liners form 60 per cent of the population, the others 40 per cent. (Public-opinion polls are confusing.) But there is no doubt about one thing: the split is sharper now than it has ever been. People have become more emotional, those with extremist views on both sides speaking out in strident voices.

"I don't want to give up the Gaza Strip," said Yael Michaelis, 41-year-old housewife and former radio broadcaster. "My father was wounded in Gaza in 1956, in the Suez war. My brother was killed there in 1967, in the Six-Day War. I don't want my son to have to go there to recapture it. Because, sure as anything, if we leave, the Arabs will use it as a place from which to attack us."

Galia Golan, head of the department of political science at Hebrew University, said, by contrast: "I believe peace is more important than territory. We're strong enough to take chances. The alternative is self-destruction."

What she means is not simply the demographic argument that the neighbouring Arab population is growing at a much faster pace than the Israeli population. A time bomb, some warn.

"That's not the key," said Golan. "It's what we're doing to ourselves that is destructive."

And so it goes on — the scul-searching, the fears that basic values are in ruin, the endless debate, the striving for answers. People quote a historian, Shlomo Avineri, who set out the paradox: "In 1967 the Israeli army needed fewer than five days to gain control over the West Bank and Gaza. In 1987 to 1988 the same army — much stronger — cannot restore order when faced with stone-throwing turbulent youths. A Greater Israel is not more secure but less secure for Israeli Jews."

But none of the answers appears simple. An international conference? The Labor

party calls for it. The Likud bloc, in control, rejects it. There is mistrust of who might participate: the Soviet Union, France, Britain, even the United States. And how Israel might be manipulated.

The quandary is glimpsed in Meron Medzini, outspoken liberal, biographer of the late Golda Meir, the prime minister for whom he was once an aide. "My mind says we have to go into a conference," he said. "My heart says, 'Stay away from it.'"

Not advocate pullout

Even Golan, representative of so-called doves — Peace Now, the largest movement in the country, draws tens of thousands to its candlelight parades and rallies — does not advocate a blanket pullout from the occupied zones. Rather, she calls for a negotiated settlement in which there would be safeguards for Israel's security.

But Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir refuses to meet or negotiate with "terrorists" — the Palestine Liberation Organization. "You don't negotiate with your enemies," said Golan. "It would be lovely if we could negotiate with Holland."

There are Israelis who would be happier if Yasser Arafat would come out unequivocally and proclaim that he has renounced the PLO covenant, which calls for the destruction of Israel. Instead, through interviews in the media, usually in English or interpretation in other languages, he says that that is old, dead stuff. He new appears as a moderate.

But Gershon Avner, a former Israeli ambassador to Canada, said: "Until Arafat tells his own people, on his own initiative, and in Arabic, that the Jews cannot be thrown out of Israel, that the destruction of Israel is not realistic, that the Arab world has to give up that dream, he is not a moderate."

Prof. Yehoshua Porath, often called the world's leading historian of Palestinian nationalism (he teaches at Hebrew University), is not so demanding. First, did the PLO mastermind the uprising? "Rubbish," he replied. "Nobody in Israel who knows anything about it will say this now."

More temperate approach

Second, he believes the PLO takes a much more temperate approach toward Israel than do leaders in the West Bank and Gaza. The latter are a clandestine group, committees rather than individuals. If Shin Beth, Israel's internal security service, knew who they were, they'd have been arrested long ago.

To Porath it is ironic that today the PLO speaks of seeking only a small state in the West Bank and Gaza, but the new committees refer to "the liberation of Palestine," implicitly including what is now Israel. It is also ironic that when the British faced an Arab uprising in the 1930s, they razed villages in retaliation, even wiping out an entire quarter in Jaffa. "We wouldn't be able to use the same harsh measures," said Porath.

"It's against our whole moral code of behaviour. Maybe it's not a price for us.

Maybe it's a bonus. At last we have to face that it's impossible to go on this way and a political solution is essential."

Maybe, maybe not — his point about harsh measures. It's doubtful that the Israelis will need to conscript, as the British did, Arab hostages to ride ahead of them on roads or railway beds, to make sure no mines are implanted. The Palestinians are smart enough to avoid using firearms and similar weapons. But the Israelis have already shown they can clamp down, with a curfew, for instance, in Gaza.

The next step was the sealing off of refugee camps for three days this week, where most of the troublemakers live. The Israelis were already prepared. Side roads to many camps are blocked by walls of oil drums filled with concrete. Only the main entrances had to be secured, allowing soldiers to strike in large numbers and round up more suspects.

World opinion

World opinion? It is of secondary importance to what is perceived as survival. A "Holocaust mentality" is real enough for Israelis of European descent. "They are anchored," as one psychologist put it, "in terrifying memories of the past, never daring to give peace a chance." Oriental Jews — migrants from Arab countries — lack this nightmarish history. It is replaced by hatred or mistrust of the Arabs.

The surprise is that so many Israelis do endorse concessions, some form of self-rule for Palestinians. In its broadest form it would mean autonomy

without an army. At least 80 per cent of academics and intellectuals (mostly of European background) support the Peace Now movement and the effort of U.S. Secretary of State George Shultz to get talks under way.

"Israel has never had a more devoted and genuine friend in the state department than Shultz, and is not likely to see one again soon," said political scientist Yaron Ezrahi. "In my opinion, any Israeli government which rejects the peace initiative of a loyal friend will lose credibility. It will not carry the authority to call its citizens to the flag in another war."

The next election is due in November, if it isn't forced earlier by U.S. and other pressures. If it were held tomorrow, the odds are Likud would receive the wholesale vote of hard-liners — enough so it could form a government, not as it must now with Labor, but

solely with smaller parties in coalition. Labor would then be shoved into ineffectual opposition.

Disaster? Not if one theory holds up — that Shamir might repeat what a predecessor, Menachem Begin, did. Only an identifiable right-wing prime minister like Begin could have carried his country in support of trading territory for peace with Egypt. It meant giving up the Sinai and moving Jewish settlers from places like Yamit.

The West Bank is more important strategically to Israel than was the Sinai, and it contains fanatic Jewish settlers who think the Bible sent them there. Nonetheless, only someone like Shamir could set in motion a set of steps that would assure the Palestinians that some sort of homeland will be theirs — and not bring open revolt from the Israelis.

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Mazal Tov to Martin Black in his new offices for the practice of law by Larry, Sherry, Tahila and Alexis Elman.
Best wishes to Martin and Ellie Black and family on their move and Mazal Tov in their new home by Larry, Sherry, Tahila and Alexis Elman.

**SAMUEL AND BESSIE
BLAIR MEMORIAL FUND**
Wishing Jonathan Bosloy continued good health by Irving and Ellen Lithwick.
Wishing Mandy Levy continued good health by Irving and Ellen Lithwick.
Mazel Tov to Anne Blair on the marriage of her daughter Ruth to Phil Goodman of Montreal by Irving and Ellen Lithwick.
Wishing Annie Mayberger continued good health by Irving and Ellen Lithwick.

**JACOB AND BERTHA
BOOKMAN
MEMORIAL FUND**
In memory of Anne Kalin by Lila Bookman and family; and by Millie and Percy Weinstein.
In memory of Aunt Sarah Azaroff, Toronto by Millie and Percy Weinstein.
In honour of Mr. and Mrs. Syd Hartman on their 50th wedding anniversary by Millie and Percy Weinstein.
Wishing a speedy recovery to Bess Swedlove by Millie and Percy Weinstein.

**TOM AND MIRIAM
BORDELEY
MEMORIAL FUND**
In memory of Esther Kardish by Bella and Ben Peters.

**BENES AND SARAH
CANTOR FUND**
In memory of Anne Kalin by Benes and Sarah Cantor.

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In memory of Anne Kalin by the Carlofsky family.

**ISRAEL AND POLLY
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In memory of Anne Kalin by Israel and Polly Cohen.

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Congratulations to Greta Cohen on being the 1988 recipient of the Gilbert Greenberg Distinguished Service Award by Barbara and Sid Greenberg.

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In memory of Ann Wexler, Mtl. by Mr. and Mrs. Harry

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**MAX AND MIRIAM
DWORKIN
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In memory of Anne Kalin by Bella and Ben Peters.
Wishing a speedy recovery to Diane Abramson by Zaida and Herman Roodman.

**MORRIE AND HELEN
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Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Margo Blostein by Valerie, Mickey and Mark Kostov.

**KATIE ELLEN FARBER
MEMORIAL FUND**
Mazal Tov to Lynda and Jeffrey Laks on the birth of a new daughter by Helen and Chaim Gilboa.

Mazal Tov to Lillian and Herb Laks on the birth of a new granddaughter by Helen and Chaim Gilboa.
Mazal Tov to Cynthia and Herb Cowan on the birth of a granddaughter by Helen and Chaim Gilboa.

Mazal Tov to Dr. and Mrs. Jack Roskies on the birth of a daughter by Helen and Chaim Gilboa.

Mazal Tov to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Greenberg on the birth of a daughter by Izzy Farber and family.

In memory of Ann Gluzman by Izzy Farber and family.

**JOSEPH AND BETTY
FELLER FUND**
In memory of Anne Kalin by Edith, Alex, Carole and Wally Cherun.

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MEMORIAL FUND**
In memory of Anne Kalin by A.L. Smith.

**DAVID AND TILLY
GERSHON FUND**
In memory of Anne Kalin by Maureen and Dennis Newton; and by Clara and Ben Dworkin.

Wishing a speedy recovery to Tilly Gershon by Morton and Sheila Tanner.

**JACOB GLADSTONE
ENDOWMENT FUND**
In observance of the Yartzheit of my mother Esther by Syd Trainoff.

In appreciation to Joe and Blanche Osterer by Shirley Kriger and family.

In appreciation to Anne Atkins by Shirley Kriger and family.

**STAN AND LIBBY
GLUBE FUND**
In memory of Ethel Leith, Nova Scotia by Vera, Malcolm, Mark and Sharon Glube.

**ANN GLUZMAN
MEMORIAL FUND**
In memory of Ann Gluzman by Ed and Janice Fine; by Dorothy and Hy Hymes; by Goldie Abramson; by Simone and Arnell Goldberg; and by

the Cunningham family.

In memory of Anne Kalin by Beverly, David, Jory and Mark Gluzman; and by Cally and Sid Kardash.

In memory of Eva Stoller by Cally and Sid Kardash.

Mazal Tov to Karen (Kurzner) and Steve Pugliese on the birth of their son by Beverly, David, Jory and Mark Gluzman.

**ARNELL AND SIMONE
GOLDBERG FUND**
In memory of Peter Bar Noy by Simone and Arnell Goldberg and family.

**EVA GOLDFELD
MEMORIAL FUND**
In memory of Ann Wexler, Mtl. by Morley Goldfield and family; by Jack and Asa Goldfield and family; and by Anita and Ed Landis and family.
Wishing continued good health to Norman Potechin by Anita and Ed Landis.

**LOUIS AND MIRIAM
GOLDSTEIN FUND**
Mazal Tov to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schwartz, Mtl. on the birth of a grandson by Geri and Sidney Goldstein.

In memory of Anne Kalin by Geri and Sidney Goldstein and family.

**JACOB AND SARAH
GORDON FUND**
In memory of Anne Kalin by Jacob Gordon; and by David Gordon.

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GOULD FUND**
In memory of Anne Kalin by Mrs. Annie Stein; by Libby Shore; and by Hy and Lilian Gould.

**GREENBERG, HUTT,
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In observance of the Yartzheit of Pesachya Greenberg by Rose and Morrie Konick.
In memory of Anne Kalin by Rose and Morrie Konick.

**LAURA AND MILTON
GREENBERG FUND**
Wishing continued good health to Arthur Hornstein by Doreen and Ariel Armoni.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Bess Swedlove by Laura and Milton Greenberg.

Mazal Tov to Dr. Ian Raskin on his engagement to Carrie Glass by Laura and Milton Greenberg, Mark and Missy.

Mazal Tov to Roslyn and Lee Raskin on the engagement of their son Dr. Ian Raskin to Carrie Glass by Laura and Milton Greenberg, Mark and Missy; and by Doreen and Ariel Armoni.

Mazal Tov to Karen (Kurzner) and Steve Pugliese on the birth of their son Matthew by Laura and Milton Greenberg.

Mazal Tov to Bess and Lawrence Weiner on the birth of a grandson Matthew by Laura and Milton Greenberg.
Mazal Tov to Pinhey and Libby Kardash on the birth of

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The Officers and Directors of the Ottawa Jewish Community Foundation wish to announce that Sarah and Milton Shaffer have established the Abraham and Mary Shaffer Memorial Fund in loving memory of his parents.

Abe and Mary were fondly known as Mom and Daddy by relatives, friends and business associates, as they were inseparable during their 58 years of marriage.

Abe was born in Aibany, New York and moved to Brooklyn to work in his uncle's book-binding factory. There he met and married Mary Basaw in 1907.

Mary helped her parents operate a small neighbourhood grocery store and Abe joined in after marriage. The pace was too much for the very young mother of two boys so, on the advice of her doctor, they packed up and came to the peace and quiet of Canada. Abe's father Samuel had immigrated to Ottawa in 1908 and lived on Church St., now renamed Guigues Street.

Mary and Abe first opened a store in Buckingham, but after one winter the contrast to Brooklyn was too much. They returned to Ottawa and opened a small General Store on Dalhousie St., near Rideau.

Mom soon became aware that the traffic and business was on Rideau St., so they moved again and lived above the store. Through good and bad times, two wars and depressions, they prospered and raised a family of five.

Abe was a handsome, stately man who carried himself with



The late Abe and Mary Shaffer

great dignity. In business, he was much admired and respected by his peers. His numerous communal pursuits will be long remembered by the many charities and worth-while causes with which he was associated.

He was the 'perennial treasurer' — treasurer of the Talmud Torah for many years, treasurer of Hillel Lodge and a great promoter of the Jewish Home for the Aged. A dedicated fund raiser for both these organizations as well as U.J.A., Beth Shalom Synagogue and the Jewish Community Centre, Abe contributed generously to all these organizations and never turned away any appeal without some contribution.

Mary was a most gracious and beautiful lady. She was a

loyal wife, and mother and a very competent business woman. She was a member of, and generously supported, all the Jewish women's organizations in the city at that time. Their marriage was blessed with five children and they are survived by 13 grandchildren.

The Abraham and Mary Shaffer Memorial Fund will be a perpetual tribute to one of Ottawa's pioneer families who did much to lay the foundations of the Jewish Community we enjoy today.

The Fund is open ended and family and friends may add to it at any time. The capital will be invested in perpetuity and the interest only will be allocated to charities in the city that were dear to them in their life-time.

Chick Taylor and family.

PINHEY AND LIBBY KARDASH FUND

Mazel Tov to Pinhey and Libby Kardash on the birth of their great grandson Matthew by Anne Kratzberg; by Betty and Ed Rose and family; and by Adam, Jonathan and Zahava Kardash.

Mazel Tov to Karen (Kurzner) and Steve Pugliese on the birth of their son Matthew by the staff of Vaad and UJA.

SAMUEL AND TILLIE KARDISH FUND

Best wishes to Joe Hoffman on his 65th birthday by Mary and Len Potechin and family. In memory of Esther Kardish by Mary and Len Potechin and family; by Zelda and John Greenberg; by Cheryl, Brian, Elana and Tyler Levitan; by Sima Sienkiwicz; and by Joe and Doris Hoffman.

In memory of Ann Gluzman by Cheryl, Brian, Elana and Tyler Levitan.

Best wishes for a r'fuah sh'lemah to our Aunt Edith Monson by Cheryl, Brian, Elana and Tyler Levitan.

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In memory of Rae Gosewich by Ida Bien.

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ARTHUR AND SARA KIMMEL MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by

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Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Bess Swedlove by Marilyn and Dan Kimmel.

In memory of Ethel Leich, Nova Scotia by Isabel and Norman Lesh; and by Marilyn and Dan Kimmel.

Congratulations to Isabel and Norman Lesh on the birth of a granddaughter by Sarah and Milton Kimmel.

GERTRUDE (PLEET) KOTLARSKY MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by Harry Kotlarsky and family.

FRANK AND SADIE LABOVITCH FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by Clara and Med Hassan.

In memory of Eva Stoller by Marion and Myer Vexler.

Best wishes to our sister and sister-in-law Marion Vexler on her birthday by Harry and Sarah Ellenberg.

JACOB AND ROSE LANDAU MEMORIAL FUND

Mazel Tov to Malca and Bill Kahansky on the engagement of their son Steven to Karen Mostyn by Edie, Issie, Jerrold and Michael Landau.

In memory of Raizel Sheinfeld, Southfield, Mich. by Edie, Issie, Jerrold and Michael Landau; and by Sylvia, Irving and

Frances Shier.

In memory of Helen Malkus, Mtl. by Sylvia and Irving Shier; and by Edie and Issie Landau.

HARRY LEIKIN ENDOWMENT FUND

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Nat Palmer by Bella and Harry Leikin.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Ida Harris, Toronto by Bella and Harry Leikin.

In memory of Anne Kalin by Bella and Harry Leikin.

In memory of Eva Kimmel, Toronto by Bella and Harry Leikin.

In memory of Joe Brandes, England, brother of Anne Angel by Bella and Harry Leikin.

SAMUEL AND MARY LESH MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by Ida and Bernie Lesh.

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In memory of Anne Kalin by Ellen and Lewis Levin.

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Wishing a speedy recovery to Victor Gould by Dorothy and Louis Levinson.

In memory of Andy Cohen by Dorothy and Louis Levinson.

In memory of Dr. Abraham Hurtig by Dorothy and Louis Levinson.

JOSEPH AND JEAN LICHTENSTEIN FUND

In appreciation to Jean and Joe Lichtenstein by Shirley Kriger.

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their great grandson Matthew by Laura and Milton Greenberg.

In memory of Esther Kardish by Laura and Milton Greenberg.

SAMUEL AND BESSIE GREENBERG FUND

In memory of Esther Kardish by Ethel and Irving Taylor and family.

In memory of Anne Kalin by Ethel and Irving Taylor and family.

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Mazel Tov to Pinhey and Libby Kardash on the birth of their great grandson Matthew by Ethel and Irving Taylor and family.

Mazel Tov to Malca and Bill Kahansky on the engagement of their son Steven by Ethel and Irving Taylor and family.

ZELDA AND JOHN GREENBERG FUND

In honour of Ann and Art Lazear on their 40th wedding anniversary by Zeiga and John Greenberg.

In honour of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Vigu on their 25th wedding anniversary by Zelda and John Greenberg.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Margo Blostein by Zeida and John Greenberg.

Wishing a speedy recovery to Howard Boucher by Zeida and John Greenberg.

SHEILA AND ERIC HAMMER MEMORIAL FUND

Birthday wishes to Stella Beck by Ben and Anne Gioberman.

FRANCES HARTMAN MEMORIAL FUND

Mazel Tov to my children Risa and Deen Mallory on the birth of my new granddaughter Michelle Frances by Jack Hartman.

LARRY AND SHEILA HARTMAN FUND

In honour of Phyllis and Bill Leith on their special wedding anniversary by Larry and Sheila Hartman.

HILLEL ACADEMY ENDOWMENT FUND

In memory of Esther Engel, Northbrook, Ill. by Leah and Bob Gencher and sons; and by Cindy and Abe Engel and family.

In memory of Anne Kalin by Cindy and Abe Engel; by Queenie and David Cohen; by Libby and Stan Katz; by Chuck, Aviva, Barry and Daniel Freedman; by Henry, Maureen, Alex and Edie Molot; by Marlene, Hymis, Hildy, Randi and Solly Reichstein; and by Nancy and Leonard Borer.

Congratulations to Dr. Chuck Freedman on his appointment as Deputy Governor of the Bank of Canada by Henry, Maureen, Alex and Edie Molot.

In memory of Vivian Frankel, Atlanta, Georgia by Sally and Harry Weltman.

Best wishes to Max Kaplan on his special birthday by Rhoda and George Caplan.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Jesse Tenzer, Fia. by Gael Mendelsohn.

HILLEL LODGE ENDOWMENT FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by

Edith Sonken; by Mr. Thomas Sachs; and by Mr. and Mrs. Allan Solman.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Rachel Nadclny by Jack and Sadie Silverman.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Bessie Farber by Jack and Sadie Silverman.

Birthday wishes to Cecil Rosman by Simmy and Chuck Gardner.

In honour of Uncle Elliott Gluck on his 70th birthday by Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shuman, Mira and Naomi.

In memory of Barney Greenberg, brother of Sam M. Greenberg by Bessie Ellis; and by Ellen, Marty and Sharon Cardash.

YETTA AND NATHAN HOCHBERG MEMORIAL FUND

Birthday wishes to Abe Hochberg by Ethel, Sid and Barbara Kerzner.

RACHEL BESSIN HOCHMAN FUND

In honour of Mrs. Rachel Bessin Hochman on her 100th birthday by Mr. Thomas Sachs.

In appreciation to Lily Lang by Shirley Kriger and family.

JEWISH SOCIAL SERVICES AGENCY FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by Elaine and Eli Rabin; and by Valerie and Gaby Terkel.

Wishing continued good health to Louis Arron by Sandra, Norman, Carla and David Slover.

JEREMY KANTER MEMORIAL FUND

Wishing a speedy recovery to Bert Cohen, Mtl. by Evelyn and Lou Eisenberg.

Wishing a speedy recovery to Harvey Cohen, Mtl. by Evelyn and Lou Eisenberg.

MAX AND DORA KAPINSKY MEMORIAL FUND

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Harry Karp by Fay and Nap Kapinsky and family; by Dorothy and Maurie Karp and family; and by Geidie and Albert Rivers.

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In memory of Anne Kalin by Fay and Nap Kapinsky.

ABRAHAM HERSH KARDASH MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Esther Kardash by Rose and Chick Taylor and family.

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Mazel Tov to Karen (Kurzner) and Steve Pugliese on the birth of their son Matthew by Rose and Chick Taylor and family.

Mazel Tov to Bess and Lawrence Weiner on the birth of a grandson Matthew by Rose and Chick Taylor and family.

Mazel Tov to Pinhey and Libby Kardash on the birth of a great grandson Matthew by Rose and Chick Taylor and family.

Mazel Tov to Ellen and Gary Greenberg on the birth of their daughter Tova Leab by Rose and Chick Taylor and family.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Margo Blostein by Rose and Chick Taylor and family.

Mazel Tov to Malca and Bill Kahansky on the engagement of their son Steven by Rose and

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MANNV AND ETHVL LIGHTSTONE FUND
In honour of Ethyl and Manny Lightstone on their 40th wedding anniversary by Ray and Ernest Goldstein and family.
Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Sol Kaiman by Ethyl and Manny Lightstone.

JOSEPH AND EVELYN LIEFF FUND
Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Allan Pearlman by Joe and Evelyn Lieff.
Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Bess Swedlove by Joe and Evelyn Lieff.

ABRAHAM AND DORA LITHWICK MEMORIAL FUND
In memory of Anne Kalin by Sarah and Sidney Green.
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Birthday wishes to Rose Lithwick by Max Esar and family, Mtl.
In memory of Anne Kalin by Rose Lithwick and family.

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In honour of Phil and Heather Rimer on their recent marriage by Dave Freeman.

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Mazal Tov to Mr. and Mrs. Ailam Solman on the Bar Mitzvah of their son Daniel Jay by Pincas Pleet.

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In observance of the Yartzheit of a beloved husband Hyman Samuel by Gladys Polowin.
In observance of the Yartzheit of my dear mother Bessie by Ann Polowin.
In memory of Anne Kalin by Ann Polowin.
In memory of Eva Stoller by Ann Polowin.

JOSEPH AND SONIA RABIN MEMORIAL FUND
Wishing r'fuah sh'lemah to Sarah Zevy by Esther Bilsky.
In memory of Andy Cohen by Esther Bilsky.

JOHN RAICHMAN MEMORIAL FUND
Best wishes to Abe and Tilly Levine in their new home by Dorothy Raichman.
Best wishes to Clare and Maurice Schwartz on their 50th wedding anniversary by Dorothy Raichman.

ETHEL RIVERS MEMORIAL FUND
Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Mutt Greenberg by Goldie and Albert Rivers.

JACOB AND LEAH RIVERS MEMORIAL FUND
In memory of Anne Kalin by Evelyn and Irving Rivers; and by Howard, Ibolya, Shawn and Julia Goldberg.

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In appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Issie Hoffman by Shirley Kriger and family.
Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Evelyn Potechin by Ben and Mary Rosenblatt.

SAMUEL AND RUTH ROTHMAN MEMORIAL FUND
In memory of Ann Gluzman by Sue and Stephen Rothman.

ISSIE AND MINNIE SANDLER MEMORIAL FUND
Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Mutt Greenberg by Barbara and Sid Greenberg.

SAMUEL AND LILLIAN SASLOVE FUND
In memory of Anne Kalin by Lil Saslove.
Mazal Tov to Malca and Bill Kahansky on the engagement of their son Steven to Karen

Mostyn by Dorothy and Maurie Karp and family.

SAM AND DORA SCHAEFFEL FUND
In memory of Anne Kalin by Sam and Dora Schaeffel.
In honour of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gold, San Diego, Ca. on their wedding anniversary by Sam and Dora Schaeffel and family.

In honour of Shirley and Gordon Viner on their wedding anniversary by Sam and Dora Schaeffel and family.

DR. AND MRS. NATHAN SCHECHTER FUND
In memory of Ann Wexler, Mtl. by Tesse and Nat Schechter.
Mazal Tov to Irving and Ruth Aaron on the marriage of their son Stanley to Reesa Garber by Tesse and Nat Schechter.

Mazal Tov to Irving and Evelyn Rivers on the marriage of their daughter Ilsa to Howard Kamen by Tesse and Nat Schechter.
Mazal Tov to Sarah and Benes Cantor on the recent marriage of their daughter Judith to Chaim Shlomo Altman of New York by Tesse and Nat Schechter.

SAMUEL AND LEA SCHREIBER FUND
In memory of Anne Kalin by

Mel and Julia Borenstein and family, Israel; and by Molly Borenstein.

CLARE AND MAURICE SCHWARTZ FUND
Birthday wishes to Faye Brill, Florida by Helen Saipet; and by Clare and Maurice Schwartz.

VERA AND SAM SCHWARTZ FUND
In memory of Ann Gluzman by Eleanor, Jack, Gaele and Avi Mintz.
In memory of Joe Segal by Eleanor, Jack, Gaele and Avi Mintz.

In memory of Anne Kalin by Vera and Sam Schwartz.
Wishing Dr. and Mrs. Steven Rubin and family health and happiness in their new home by Vera and Sam Schwartz.

ABRAHAM AND MARY SCHAEFFER MEMORIAL FUND
In memory of Lionel Denenberg, Mtl. by Sarah and Milton Shaffer.
Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Allan Pearlman by Sarah and Milton Shaffer.
Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Bess Swedlove by Sarah and Milton Shaffer.

HAROLD SHAFFER MEMORIAL FUND
In memory of Lionel Denenberg, Mtl. by Frances and

Dorothy Shaffer.
In memory of Anne Kalin by Frances and Dorothy Shaffer.
Mazal Tov to Laura and Milton Greenberg on the occasion of their son graduating from University of Toronto Medical School and on his marriage by Shirley and Shier Berman and family.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Shier Berman by the staff of Vaad and UJA.

SVLVIA SHERMAN MEMORIAL FUND
In memory of Anne Kalin by Barbara and Louis Sherman; and by Molly and Sol Sherman.

CECIL AND FLORENCE SHINDER FUND
Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Mutt Greenberg by Florence and Cecil Shinder.
Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Jen Shinder by Florence and Cecil Shinder.

In honour of Ethyl and Manny Lightstone on their 40th wedding anniversary by Florence and Cecil Shinder.
In honour of Jen and Is Shinder on their 45th wedding anniversary by Florence and Cecil Shinder.

In memory of Rose Ages by Florence and Cecil Shinder.
In memory of Joe Segal by Florence and Cecil Shinder.

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Grossman Family Continues Their Deep, Abiding Interest in Community

The William and Lenke Grossman Fund will now be known as the William and Lenke Grossman, Thomas D. Grossman and Vera and Leslie Klein Endowment Fund.

An additional \$10,000 has been added to the fund by the children, bringing the fund up to \$55,000.

The Grossman and Klein families are well known for their generous and philanthropic support of the many charities in our community and Israel. We wish them good health and happiness in the coming years to be able to continue their good deeds.

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Mazal Tov to Reba and Nathan Diener on the engagement of their daughter Sharon by Ethyl and David Malek. In honour of Leslie and Lionel Shinder on their 18th wedding anniversary by Betty and Ed Rose and family. In memory of Sylvia Shinder by Sandy Shapero and Brian Moriarty.

ISRAEL AND JEN SHINDER FUND

Best wishes to Martin Baron, Quincy, Mass. on his special birthday by Is and Jen Shinder. Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Jen Shinder by Hans and Bela Adler, and by Barbara and Sid Greenberg.

ABRAHAM AND BELLA SHUSTER MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by Earl M. Cooperman. In memory of Joel Simon, Kingston, Ontario by Earl M. Cooperman.

LOUIS SLACK MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by Clara Slack; and by Myra, Lester, Jennifer, Donna, Gregory and Jordan Aronson. In observance of the Yartzheit of my father William Slack by Noreen Slack and Gerald Redmond.

MOE AND CHARLOTTE SLACK FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by Charlotte Slack.

JACK AND LINDA SMITH FUND

In appreciation to Jack and Linda Smith by Shirley Kriger. In appreciation to David Smith by Andrea and Allan Solman.

In honour of Phil and Merle Koven, Kingston, on their 25th wedding anniversary by Jack and Linda Smith.

GUSTAVE AND ESTHER SOLMAN FUND

In honour of my sister and brother-in-law Carolyn and Murray Shaikin on their 20th wedding anniversary by Irving J. Solman.

LOUIS AND LEAH STEINBERG MEMORIAL FUND

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Victor Steinberg by Edie and Issie Landau; and by Claire and Abe Kevanstein.

WILLIAM "BILL" STERNBERG MEMORIAL FUND

In honour of Rae and Louis Kevanstein on their 50th wedding anniversary by Ann and Ralph Sternberg.

RACHEL AND ZELIG SWEDLOVE MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by Carol-Sue, Jack, Tracy and Michael Shapiro.

Wishing a speedy recovery to Bess Swedlove by Is and Jen Shinder; by Lillian and Herb Laks; by Libby and Stan Katz; by Cindy and Abe Engel; and by Ethyl and Manny Lightstone.

JAY B. TALLER MEMORIAL FUND

In honour of Sally and Morton Teller on their 37th wed-

ding anniversary by Libby and Stan Katz.

SAMUEL AND ANNE TALLER FUND

In memory of Anne Kalin by Anne and Sam Teller.

In honour of Sally and Morton Teller on their 37th wedding anniversary by Anne and Sam Teller.

Mazal Tov to Sally and Morton Teller on the birth of a new granddaughter in Israel by Anne and Sam Teller.

SAUL AND FANNY TANNER MEMORIAL FUND

In observance of the Yartzheit of a dear father and grandfather Saul Tanner by Minerva Cohen; and by Stephen Cohen and Linda Weiner.

In memory of Anne Kalin by Rose Cohen.

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Congratulations to Rachael Paley on her outstanding academic achievements by Sbirley and Shier Berman and family.

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In honour of Ernie Waserman on his special birthday by Debbie and Hy Schwartzburg; by Brenda and Barry Hersh, Vancouver; by Barbara and Nathan Bregman, Mtl.; by Shap Shapero; and by Sandy Shapero and Brian Moriarty.

To our dear uncle Ernie Waserman on his special birthday by Rona, David, Brett and Hilary Schaenfield.

In honour of Mel Schweg on his 50th birthday by Auntie Nessie Waserman.

Mazal Tov to Moe (Chuck) Skulsky on the engagement of his son Stewart to Felicia Barr of Montreal by Sadie and Ernie Waserman.

HARRY AND RAE WEIDMAN MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Joe Brandes, England, brother of Anne Angel by Roslyn, Myles, Jodi and Julia Teller.

Congratulations to Roslyn and Myles Teller on their 24th anniversary by Ethel, Abe, Elisa and Ian Murray.

In honour of Roslyn and Myles Teller on their 24th wedding anniversary by Jodi and Julia Teller.

In observance of the Yartzheit of a beloved mother and grandmother Rae Weidman by Roslyn, Myles, Jodi and Julia Teller.

In memory of Ethel Leith by Roslyn, Myles, Jodi and Julia Teller.

MORRIS AND MARIETTE WOOLFSON FUND

Mazal Tov to Morris and Mariette Woolfson on the marriage of their grandchildren Chana Snyder to Daniel Barg and Allan Snyder to Perei Zawatsky by Irving and Ellen

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SAM ZARET MEMORIAL FUND

Best wishes to Ernie Waserman on his special birthday by Helene Zaret.

CHAIM AND SELA ZARETSKY MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Sela Zaretsky by Dora Danoff; by Rae Uhl-felder, Palm Springs, Fla.; by Earl Gardner, Toronto; and by Sean Noonan and family.

In memory of our beloved

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Contributions may be made by phoning Laura Greenberg at 232-7306, Monday to Friday 9-5. Attractive cards are sent to convey the appropriate sentiments. All donations are acknowledged with an official receipt for income tax purposes. WE ACCEPT VISA.

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I wish to express my gratitude to all my dear friends and to my family for their support through my illness. Your gifts and contributions on my behalf are much appreciated.

Annie Cohen

In Appreciation

Bess and Lawrence Weiner, and Pinney and Libby Kardash wish to express their appreciation for the expressions of Mazal Tov and donations made on behalf of the birth of their grandson and great-grandson, Matthew (Ephraim) to proud parents, Karen and Stephen.

Unveiling

The unveiling of a monument in memory of the late **Lillian Shohet** will take place on

Monday, September 4 at 12:30 p.m.
Jewish Community Cemetery, Beth Shalom Section
Bank Street South

Unveiling

The unveiling of a monument in memory of the late **Norma Vineberg** will take place on

Sunday, September 4 at 12:00 noon
Jewish Community Cemetery, Agudath Israel Section
Bank Street South

Beth Shalom honors Holocaust Committee

On July 23 Beth Shalom honoured the Holocaust Committee for its many years of service in its efforts to bring to our attention the dimension of the tragedy that has obliterated a third of the Jewish people in modern times.

Rabbi Aranov spoke of the place of the Holocaust in the perspective of the historical and theological experience of the Jewish people. He noted that Shabbat Chazon asks the Jew not to lose sight of the Martyrdom of our people and also to achieve a broader vision by learning to incorporate the experience of suffering into lessons of enduring value for humanity as well as for the destiny of the Jewish people.

Hugo Levendel and the late

Peter Perel were acknowledged for their pioneering efforts in bringing the subject of the Holocaust into the consciousness of local Jewry before it was fashionable to do so.

Mendel Good and William Grossman were noted for their efforts in heading the campaign to build a Memorial to the 6,000,000 which was realized 10 years ago.

Harry Hecht and Mendel Good succeeded to the chairmanship of the Holocaust Committee; the present chairperson is Vera Gara.

The support of the late Hy Hochberg and for long life, Gittel Taler for the work of the Committee was also underscored.

Jewish pen-pal service has reached over 6,000 people

The International Jewish Correspondence (I.J.C.) service will mark its 10th year in existence this August, having reached 6,000 people in more than forty countries.

Representatives from Jewish communities around the world are now being sought to make this unique pen-pal service even stronger.

Montreal high school teacher Barry Simon, co-ordinator of the non-profit service, notes that the ideal representative is aged 15 to 30, pleasant, personable and having the capability to speak in three or more languages. Representatives should also be willing to sign up others in camps, schools, synagogues, community centres, youth organizations and singles groups.

Representatives receive a let-

ter of introduction from IJC registration forms in English, French or Spanish to distribute and information about the region they are to represent.

Persons wishing to have Jewish pen pals can write to: International Jewish Correspondence, c/o Canadian Jewish Congress, 1590 Docteur Penfield Avenue, Montreal, Quebec, H3G 1C5. A self-addressed envelope should be enclosed, and a donation to cover the cost of return postage would be appreciated.

In order to be properly matched, I.J.C. must know your age (date of birth), sex, the languages you read, level of schooling, hobbies, ambitions, profession and the number, age range and sex of the people with whom you wish to correspond.

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Community Calendar

Monday, August 29
U.J.A. Celebration with Orot Hashchuna,
Auditorium, J.C.C., 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, September 1
Sinai Chapter of Hadassah-WIZO, Fashion Show,
Machzeiki Hadas, 2310 Virginia Dr., 8:00 p.m.

Sunday, September 4
Annual Memorial Service, Jewish Cemetery, Bank St.
South, 10:30 a.m.

Bulletin Deadlines

Wednesday, August 24
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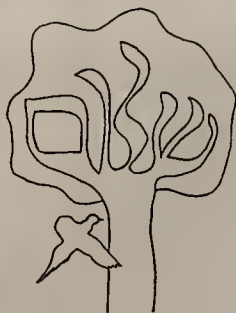
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Resident Anne Wideman says goodbye and thanks to Dr. David Malek.

Dr. David Malek paid honor by Hillel Lodge

Some 200 people, including friends, family, colleagues, residents, staff and board members crowded into the Merida Sachs Musical Activity Lounge of Hillel Lodge recently to pay tribute to a champion.

The special occasion was held in honor of Dr. David Malek for his twenty-two years of dedicated service as Medical Director of the Ottawa Jewish Home for the Aged.

The evening, which featured presentations from residents, staff and board, was a veritable outpouring of love for Dr. Malek's years of devotion and commitment to the home and its residents.

One staff member noted that, when it came to medical care at Hillel Lodge, "in the beginning there was only David, a young man in an even younger field — geriatrics."

Ironically, taking care of the elderly is a young (recent) and growing field.

One of the several highlights of the evening was a musical duet featuring the guest of honor playing a selection of classical pieces on the clarinet, accompanied by pianist Evelyn Greenberg. Entertainment was also provided by pianist Judy Ginsburg.

The night will be long remembered for good food, great music and excellent spirit by all who attended.

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Shabbat Candlelighting

August 12 — 7:54 p.m.
August 19 — 7:43 p.m.
August 26 — 7:31 p.m.

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Condolences are extended to the families of:

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Alex Cherun

Rose Cohen

William Dover

Ruth Greenberg, Winnipeg (sister of Sarah Metrick)

Isidore Raymond Hart, St. Donat, Que. (father of William Hart and Lt. Col. Paul Hart)

Miriam Karabelnik, Israel (sister of Harry Levine)

Ethel Leith, Sydney, N.S. (mother of Bill Leith)

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